## FEDBIZOPPS ANNOUNCEMENT: NOTICE OF INTENT

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SUBJECT: Software License

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## **DESCRIPTION:**

The National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) Acquisition Management Division, on behalf of the NIST, Technology Partnership Office (TPO), intends to negotiate with Patsnap PTE LTD, Standard House, Godalming Surrey, GU7 1XE, United Kingdom on a sole source basis in accordance with FAR Subsection 13.106-1(b), for Patsnap Search and 3D Landscape software license.

The sole source justification is based on the need for software that can only be obtained from the original service provider. The software renewal is a global parent search and analysis platform that has software tools to create patent landscape maps and to analyze patent portfolio distributions. Patsnap is the only responsible vendor capable of the meeting the governments requirement.

No solicitation package will be issued. This notice is not a request for competitive quotations; however, interested parties may identify their interest and capability to respond to the requirement. Inquiries will only be accepted via e-mail to janice.moten@nist.gov.

The government will consider responses received by 12:00PM, EST, 17 July 2015. Written responses to this synopsis shall contain sufficient documentation to establish a bona fide capability to fulfill the requirement. A determination by the Government not to compete this proposed requirement based upon responses to this notice is solely within the discretion of the Government. Information received will normally be considered solely for the purpose of determining whether to conduct a competitive procurement in the future. This Notice of Intent is not a Request for Quotation (RFQ) nor is it a request for competition. No telephone requests will be honored.

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